Assassination Records Review Board
Final Determination Notification

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RECORD SERIES : STAFF PAYROLL RECORDS
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December 8, 1995

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Number of Postponements: 3

Postponements: All the postponements in this document represent Social Security numbers.

Reason for Board Action: The text is redacted because the public disclosure of the redaction could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, and that invasion of privacy would be so substantial that it outweighs the public interest.

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PAYROLL AUTHORIZATION FORM

(Please Use Typewriter or Ballpoint Pen)

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Washington, D.C. 20515

(Any erasures, corrections, or changes on this form must be initialed by the authorizing official.)

To the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

I hereby authorize the following payroll action:

Employee Name (First-Middle-Last)	Effective Date
Mark A. Speiser	December 7, 1978
Employee Social Security Number	**Type of Action**
023-36-0715	☐ Appointment ☐ Salary Adjustment ☐ Title Change ☒ Termination (At close of business on effective date) ☐ Leave without pay (Beginning with effective date above and ending close of business____________) Specify Date
Employing Office or Committee/Subcommittee	
Assassinations	

(If type of action is an Appointment, Salary Adjustment, or Title Change, complete appropriate information below.)

Position Title	Gross Annual Salary*

* If employee is a civil service annuitant (includes U.S. House of Representatives), the gross annual salary shown should include the annuity received by the employee plus the salary received from the employing office.

(If Committee Employee, complete appropriate item below.)

1. ☐ Standing Committee: Staff—☐ Clerical or ☐ Professional.
2. ☒ Special (Investigative staff of Standing Committee) or Select Committee: Authority—H. Res. 956 of 95th Congress.
3. ☐ Joint Committee.

(If Employee of an Officer of the House, complete item below.)

Position Number________ If applicable, Level______ Step______

I certify that this authorization is not in violation of 5 U.S.C. 3110(b), prohibiting the employment of relatives.

Date December 11, 1978

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(Signature of Authorizing Official)

LOUIS STOKES
(Type or print name of Authorizing Official)

Chairman
(Title – If Member, District and State)

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(If appropriate, signature of Subcommittee Chairman or Ranking Minority Member)

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(Type or print name and title of above official)

All appointments and salary adjustments for employees under the House Classification Act and for Committee employees, except those of the Committee on Appropriations, the Committee on the Budget, and the Joint Committees, must be approved by the Committee on House Administration.

APPROVED:____________________
Chairman, Committee on House Administration

Office of Finance use only:

Office Code________

Monthly Annuity $______.00 as of ________

ID ________

Benefits ________

Payroll ________

(Revised: August 1, 1977)

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Washington, D.C. 20515

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To the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

I hereby authorize the following payroll action:

Employee Name (First-Middle-Last)	Effective Date
Mark A. Speiser	March 1, 1978
Employee Social Security Number	**Type of Action**
023-36-0715	☐ Appointment ☒ Salary Adjustment ☐ Title Change ☐ Termination (At close of business on effective date) ☐ Leave without pay (Beginning with effective date above and ending close of business ______________ Specify Date)
Employing Office or Committee/Subcommittee	
Assassinations	

(If type of action is an Appointment, Salary Adjustment, or Title Change, complete appropriate information below.)

Position Title	Gross Annual Salary*
Staff Counsel	$32,000

*If employee is a civil service annuitant (includes U.S. House of Representatives), the gross annual salary shown should include the annuity received by the employee plus the salary received from the employing office.

(If Committee Employee, complete appropriate item below.)

1. ☐ Standing Committee: Staff—☐ Clerical or ☐ Professional.
2. ☒ Special (Investigative staff of Standing Committee) or Select Committee: Authority—H. Res. 956 of 95th Congress.
3. ☐ Joint Committee.

(If Employee of an Officer of the House, complete item below.)

Position Number______________ If applicable, Level________ Step________

I certify that this authorization is not in violation of 5 U.S.C. 3110(b), prohibiting the employment of relatives.

Date March 14, 19 78

____________________ (Signature of Authorizing Official)

____________________ (If appropriate, signature of Subcommittee Chairman or Ranking Minority Member)

LOUIS STOKES (Type or print name of Authorizing Official)

____________________ (Type or print name and title of above official)

Chairman (Title – If Member, District and State)

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APPROVED: ____________________
Chairman, Committee on House Administration

Office of Finance use only:

Office Code__________ ID ____________________

Benefits ____________________

Monthly Annuity $__________.00 as of ____________________ Payroll ____________________

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Washington, D.C. 20515

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To the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

I hereby authorize the following payroll action:

Employee Name (First-Middle-Last)	Effective Date
Mark A. Speiser	October ~~31~~ 30 ~~28~~, 1977
Employee Social Security Number	**Type of Action**
023-36-0715	[X] Appointment [ ] Salary Adjustment [ ] Termination (At close of business on effective date)
Employing Office or Committee	
Assassinations	

(If type of action is an Appointment or Salary Adjustment, complete the following information.)

Position Title	Gross Annual Salary
Staff Counsel	$28,000

(If Committee Employee, complete appropriate item below.)

1. [ ] Standing Committee: Staff—[ ] Clerical or [ ] Professional.
2. [X] Special or Select Committee: Authority—H. Res. 465 of 95th Congress.
3. [ ] Joint Committee.

(If Employee of an Officer of the House, complete item below.)

Position Number________ If applicable, Level________ Step________

I certify that this authorization is not in violation of 5 U.S.C. 3110(b), prohibiting the employment of relatives.

Date October 31, 1977 ____________________
(Signature of Authorizing Official)

Louis Stokes
(Type or print name of Authorizing Official)

Chairman
(Title—If Member, District and State)

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APPROVED: ____________________
Chairman, Committee on House Administration

Office of Finance use only:

Office Code________

Monthly Annuity $________.00

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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Thomas Howarth, Budget Officer
Elizabeth Berning, Chief Clerk

FROM: I. Charles Mathews, Special Counsel I.C.M.

DATE: October 26, 1977

RE: Mr. Mark A. Speiser

Mr. Mark A. Speiser has accepted the position of Senior Staff Counsel with the Martin Luther King Task Force. His effective starting date will be October ~~27~~ 31, 1977, and his starting salary will be $28,000.00.

Mr. Speiser is a 1972 graduate of the University of North Carolina Law School and was previously employed as an Attorney-Advisor with the SEC. He also spent two years with the Organized Crime Strike Force in the Southern District of New York.

Your full co-operation will be appreciated in familiarizing Mr. Speiser with staff procedures and welcoming him aboard.

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